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Note verbale dated 4 December 1997 from the Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations (Vienna) addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations (Vienna) presents its compliments to the Secretary - General of the United Nations and has the honour to transmit, in accordance with article IV of the Convention on Registration of Objects Launched into Outer Space,* information concerning the launching of satellite IRS-1D (see annex).

*General Assembly resolution 3235 (XXIX), annex, of 12 November 1974.

Annex

REGISTRATION DATA FOR INDIAN SPACE OBJECTS*

Name of space object:	IRS-1D	
Date of launch:	29 September 1997	
Place of launch:	Shriharikota, India	
Basic orbital parameters:	Nodal period:	100.53 minutes
	Inclination:	98.78 degrees
	Apogee:	821 kilometres
	Perigee:	737 kilometres
	(Polar sun-synchronous orbit)	
Launch vehicle:	PSLV-C1 (Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle)	
Launching organization:	Indian Space Research Organization	
General function of space object:	Operational remote sensing satellite for natural resources management	

*The registration data are reproduced in the form in which they were received.